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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

LETTER

This is to advise the Office of a situation which has occurred in the underlying PCT application PCT/GB2004/002330 upon which the present application is based. It has come to the attention of the undersigned that pages 51-60 and 63 of PCT/GB2004/002330 were erroneously omitted from the published PCT pamphlet by the International Bureau (WIPO). The missing pages were filed in the original specification at the International Bureau along with the Request, and those pages were included in the present application as filed. However, during the international phase of the PCT case, a requirement was made to file replacement pages 37 to 50, 61, 62, 64 and 65 of the specification. The undersigned has been advised that It appears that upon filing of the replacement pages, the International Bureau removed all the pages from page 37 to page 65 from the specification as originally filed and replaced them with

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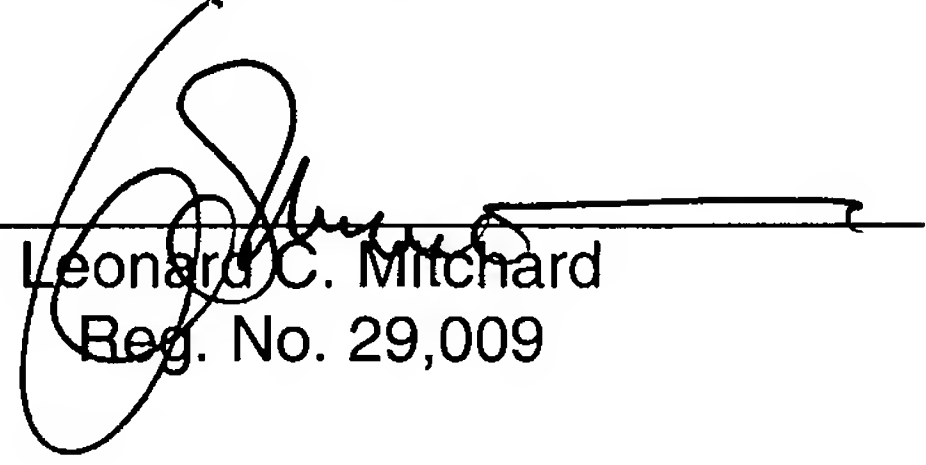
the replacement pages 37-50, 61, 62, 64 and 65 without realizing that original pages 51-60 and 63 should have remained in the specification.

It is not believed that any action is required in the present case since the application as filed is complete and all the correct pages are present. However, should any questions arise, it is requested that the undersigned be contacted at the number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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